

Sports Of A Day

— Told By The Farmer's Experts —

"CLASSY" BALL BY AMATEURS

In Exciting Struggle Clovers Defeated
Seaside 1 to 0.

SEASIDE TWIRLING

The Seaside and the Clovers, two of the best clubs, put up one of the best games of ball seen on any lot this season at the Flats yesterday afternoon before a crowd of 700 spectators, the latter winning after an exciting struggle 1-0. Whalen of the losing team pitched a grand game, allowing but two hits, being particularly effective when men were on the bases. Mullins, the Clover pitcher, featured with 16 strikeouts, passing two men, and allowing but one scratch hit, not a Seaside player getting to third. Only one Seaside player, Whalen, the Clover outfielder, Whalen should be given all the credit for the small score. The game will go down in the annals of amateur baseball, as one of the finest if not the best exhibition ever played in this city between two amateur teams. The score:

| SEASIDES. | ab. | r. | lb. | po. | a. | e. |
|-------------------|-----|----|-----|-----|----|----|
| J. McCormack, ss. | 4 | 0 | 0 | 2 | 0 | 0 |
| J. Whalen, p. | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 |
| Keeley, lf. | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 |
| Shea, 3b. | 3 | 0 | 1 | 4 | 2 | 0 |
| Ewing, 2b. | 3 | 0 | 0 | 1 | 1 | 0 |
| Donahoe, c. | 2 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 |
| Morgan, lb. | 3 | 0 | 0 | 7 | 0 | 1 |
| B. McCormack, rf. | 3 | 0 | 0 | 2 | 0 | 0 |
| Byron, cf. | 2 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 |
| Totals | 30 | 0 | 1 | 24 | 8 | 1 |

| CLOVERS. | ab. | r. | lb. | po. | a. | e. |
|---------------|-----|----|-----|-----|----|----|
| Germaine, lf. | 2 | 1 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 |
| Lawlor, 3b. | 3 | 1 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 |
| McCarthy, p. | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 |
| Bowden, ss. | 3 | 0 | 1 | 1 | 0 | 0 |
| Lannon, rf. | 3 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 |
| Cotter, lb. | 3 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 |
| O'Brien, 2b. | 3 | 0 | 0 | 1 | 0 | 0 |
| Egan, c. | 2 | 0 | 0 | 16 | 0 | 0 |
| Mullins, p. | 2 | 0 | 0 | 2 | 0 | 1 |
| Totals | 24 | 1 | 2 | 27 | 2 | 3 |

SCORE BY INNINGS:
Seaside 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0
Clovers 0 0 0 0 0 0 1 1
Summary—Seaside hits, Mullins and Lawlor. First on base, off Whalen 4. Off Mullins 2. Struck out by Whalen 4. Off Mullins 16. First base on errors, Clovers 1, Seaside 2. Umpire, Edward McCarthy.

NOTES.
Some going, eh? That boy Mullins, I mean. Sixteen strikeouts and one fly ball to the field.

Notice Bowden at short. He's the Clovers all-around man.

Credit must be given to Ben Lee for his work as manager. He hasn't mislead a Sunday game yet. His next game is Bats' photo gallery.

"John" Whalen pitched a great game for his Seaside, but his teammates were weak at the bat.

The Clovers, who are getting knocked as often as the sun shines, are following the advice of Shakespeare, "Don't argue with soreheads." Keep it up you knockers.

DETROIT SLUGGERS WALLOP ORATORS AT STEEPLECHASE

Most of the celebrities of the Detroit American League, with the exception of Ty Cobb were pitted against the Orators at Steeplechase yesterday winning easily 9-1. The big leaguers pulled off a few startling plays which opened the eyes of the fair sized crowd present. The regular Tiger team with the prettiest exception of Cobb, whose place was taken by "Germany" Schaefer, played good ball hitting "Rube" Pollard's slants without any difficulty. Works as Spencer the two Detroit pitchers would not last long against a good team as the Orators gathered in eight hits, two by Pollard. The two Seaside players who counted for two batters and a triple. Sam Crawford nailed the pill over the fence for a homer. About 1,000 fans looked on.

DROPPED TWO GAMES SATURDAY TO NEW BRITAINS

Though the Orators put up a grand article of ball on Saturday against the New Britains in the latter town, the class exhibited by the Perfectos was a little better. Billy Hanna's crew taking two contests, the first 2-1, and the second 2-2. The first contest was a pitcher's battle between Clinton and Gibbs, the former allowing but two hits, while the latter, though giving eight hits, kept them well scattered, and might have won his game had not a few errors behind him proved otherwise. Case started the second game, New Britain lasting the first inning, when he gave way in favor of people Ward who held the Orators in hand. Sweeney, the new second baseman secured from the Atlantic due by Manager O'Rourke showed to advantage in both contests. In the first he accepted eight chances about a slip up. The score:

| First game. | R.H.E. |
|---|--------|
| Bridgeport 0 0 0 0 1 0 0 0 1—2—3 | |
| New Britain 0 0 0 0 0 0 2 2—3—4 | |
| Batteries: Gibbs and Koehler; Clinton, Hirst and Knotts. | |
| Second game. | R.H.E. |
| Bridgeport 2 0 0 0 0 0 0 0—2—7 | |
| New Britain 0 0 0 0 1 2 0 0—4—9 | |
| Batteries: Whitteymer and Koehler; Case, Ward and Knotts. | |

AMATEUR BASEBALL

The Nestlings defeated the Hillside, Jr.s, by the score of 6-5. The features of the game was the home run by Nestles. The battery for the winners was Kopp and Dorkin.

The Nestlings would like to play any 15-14 year old team in the city at East End freight yards, Sunday at 2:30 p. m. Answer through this paper.

AMERICAN LEAGUE

Saturday's Results
At Boston—Boston 7, St. Louis 2.
At New York—New York 7, Detroit 2 (first game); Detroit 7, New York 4 (second game).
At Philadelphia—Cleveland 3, Philadelphia 1 (first game); Philadelphia 4, Cleveland 2 (second game).
At Washington—Chicago 1, Washington 0 (first game); Chicago 4, Washington 0 (second game).

NATIONAL LEAGUE

Yesterday's Results
At St. Louis—Boston 10, St. Louis 4.
At Cincinnati—Brooklyn 3, Cincinnati 2 (first game); Cincinnati 3, Brooklyn 1 (second game).
At Chicago—Chicago 7, Philadelphia 6 (second game).

Saturday's Results
At St. Louis—St. Louis 3 Boston 2.
At Pittsburgh—New York 3, Pittsburgh 0.
At Chicago—Chicago 1, Philadelphia 0.
At Cincinnati—Cincinnati 1, Brooklyn 0 (8 innings, rain).

Connecticut League

Yesterday's Results
At Waterbury—Springfield 13, Waterbury 2.

Saturday's Results
At Springfield—(First game.) Northampton 7, Springfield 1 (second game).
Springfield 17, Northampton 5.
At New Britain—(First game.) New Britain 2, Bridgeport 1 (second game).
New Britain 3, Bridgeport 0.
At Waterbury—Holyoke 13, Waterbury 6.
At New Haven—Hartford 7, New Haven 3.

American League Standing

| | Won. | Lost. | P.C. |
|--------------|------|-------|------|
| Detroit | 60 | 34 | .638 |
| Philadelphia | 56 | 38 | .596 |
| Boston | 54 | 43 | .557 |
| Cleveland | 49 | 44 | .527 |
| Chicago | 47 | 46 | .505 |
| New York | 43 | 50 | .462 |
| St. Louis | 40 | 53 | .435 |
| Washington | 26 | 68 | .277 |

National League Standing

| | Won. | Lost. | P.C. |
|--------------|------|-------|------|
| Pittsburgh | 59 | 30 | .663 |
| Chicago | 59 | 30 | .663 |
| New York | 51 | 35 | .593 |
| Cincinnati | 46 | 45 | .506 |
| Philadelphia | 47 | 38 | .556 |
| St. Louis | 37 | 50 | .425 |
| Brooklyn | 33 | 57 | .357 |
| Boston | 26 | 64 | .289 |

Connecticut League Standing

| | Won. | Lost. | P.C. |
|-------------|------|-------|------|
| Holyoke | 62 | 29 | .682 |
| Hartford | 51 | 29 | .638 |
| Waterbury | 47 | 38 | .556 |
| Waterbury | 44 | 43 | .506 |
| New Haven | 41 | 45 | .477 |
| Springfield | 37 | 43 | .463 |
| Northampton | 31 | 51 | .382 |
| Bridgeport | 28 | 54 | .341 |

Eastern League Standing

| | Won. | Lost. | P.C. |
|-------------|------|-------|------|
| Rochester | 53 | 37 | .584 |
| Buffalo | 50 | 46 | .521 |
| Providence | 45 | 43 | .511 |
| Toronto | 46 | 44 | .511 |
| Newark | 46 | 46 | .500 |
| Montreal | 43 | 48 | .473 |
| Baltimore | 41 | 50 | .456 |
| Baltimore | 41 | 50 | .456 |
| Jersey City | 40 | 50 | .444 |

New England League Standing

| | Won. | Lost. | P.C. |
|-------------|------|-------|------|
| Lynn | 61 | 29 | .678 |
| Brookton | 51 | 32 | .614 |
| Lowell | 49 | 36 | .574 |
| Fall River | 49 | 37 | .565 |
| Worcester | 48 | 37 | .565 |
| New Bedford | 34 | 40 | .410 |
| Lawrence | 23 | 55 | .295 |
| Lowell | 25 | 59 | .298 |

Games Today

All National and American League games postponed because of President Pulliam's funeral.

CONNECTICUT LEAGUE

Bridgeport at Northampton.
Waterbury at Hartford.
New Britain at New Haven.
Holyoke at Springfield.

FACTORY LEAGUE

Standing. Won. Lost. P.C.
Locomobile 9 1900
Birdseye-Somers 8 2800
Batteller 6 3667
Bullards 5 4556
Jennings 1 8111
Ashcroft 1 9100

Saturday's Results.

Locos, 11; Battellers, 1.
Birdseye-Somers, 7; Bullards, 5.
Ashcroft, 5; Jennings, 12.

The Batteller-Loco game went along quite well until the ninth inning when Bowden, the Batteller pitcher blew up, and with the errors of his team allowed nine runs, and the Loos to win easily, as his team could get but one run off O'Gara, the Loco twirler. The fielding on both sides was almost perfect. The score:

| | R.H.E. |
|---|--------|
| Batteller 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 1—4—3 | |
| Locomobile 0 0 0 0 0 2 0 9—11—6—2 | |

It was terrible the way the Birdseye-Somers walloped the Bullard pitchers on Saturday, ringing up 23 hits, and counting 27 runs. The scorers had to work overtime to figure up the final results. The score:

| | R.H.E. |
|--|--------|
| Birdseye-Somers 14 11 0 4 11 5—27—28—3 | |
| Bullards 0 0 0 0 2 0 2 1—5—2—6 | |

Jennings Brothers team won their first league contest of the season by defeating the Ashcrofts 12-5. It was a fight for last place and the Ashcrofts won out. That club has also won a game, but have lost one more than the Jennings Brothers. The score:

| | R.H.E. |
|---|--------|
| Ashcroft 1 0 4 0 0 0 0—5—4—9 | |
| Jennings 2 0 6 2 3 0 6—12—10—4 | |
| Batteries: Curran and Piste; C. Klein and Halsey. | |

NO GAMES TODAY IN MEMORY OF PULLIAM

(Special from United Press.)
New York, Aug. 2.—Because of the funeral of President Harry C. Pulliam of the National League, which will be held today in Louisville, there will be no games played today in the National or American Leagues, American Association or New York State League. Several other leagues too have postponed their games of today as a mark of respect to the man who did so much for organized baseball in the United States.

Warner Brothers team surprised themselves, their supporters and the U. M. C. team Saturday by taking a 7-6 game from the latter club at Newfield Park. It was the pitching of McCormick, who was given a try out on the mound that won the contest for the Corset Makers. McNally of the winning team made a perfect record at the bat with four hits out of four times up. The score:

| | R.H.E. |
|--|--------|
| Warner Bros. 0 0 2 0 2 0 2—7—10—2 | |
| U. M. C. 1 0 1 0 0 0 1 2—10—4 | |
| Batteries: McCormick and White; Ennis and Moran. | |

LIVE BASE BALL TIPS

In Northampton today.

Holyoke and Springfield will be entertained before the Orators return home.

It's a shame the way Bridgeport has been losing those one run games. Two on Saturday is enough to break the spirit of any club.

The New Haven Palladium suggests that all the Orators need is a new captain, and names John Bunyan for the place. At present Hi Ladd is the captain.

Sweeney, the new second baseman showed up Saturday and played a good game. He did not make a slip in either contest, and connected for a sacrifice and a single in the second. Yesterday against Detroit he also had a single.

Eddie Bridges, who is to become a big league says that the league has not the first class twirlers it had in former years. "No more Tom Tuckers, Pete Wilson or Red Walters," says Eddie. The real classy men of the circuit now are Fisher, Evans and Schuman of Hartford and Bannister of Waterbury.

Big league scouts from Pittsburgh and the Boston Nationals were in attendance at the Bridgeport-New Britain games Saturday, to observe the work of Alvin Mason, McCabe and Hill. It is stated that Boston may land the first two players.

Fans at the New York-Pittsburgh game on Friday were amazed while Wagner was at the bat, to see that player after swinging at a widely pitched ball, to drop his bat quickly and to place both hands to his body in the region of his heart, and start for the bench. Doctors examined the great batsman and saw that the muscles of his left side had been strained.

The explanation of Bridgeport's being in last place can be figured out when it is seen that the Orators are last in batting and seventh in fielding.

"Tacks" DeLave of the Meadow Larks was the handy man in the games against Springfield Saturday. "Tacks" pitched and won the first contest for his club. In the second game he started to play right field, but was called in to relieve Pitcher Plank after the second inning. The Pioneers got after "Tacks" though they could not hit in the first encounter, and he was relieved by Goldie Bowler. "Tacks" then went behind the bat. Eddie Bridges going to second. Four positions in a league game is a good record for a day's work.

WAGNER READY TO PLAY AGAIN

(Special from United Press.)
Pittsburg, Aug. 2.—With Hans Wagner, the heavy hitting short stop of the Pittsburgh Pirates back in the game, Manager Clarke and his crew are confident of taking the series from the Brooklyn Nationals which opens there to-morrow. The "Pittsburgh man" has been out of the game since last Friday. Earlier in the week during the Cincinnati series, Hans injured his left hand but this gave him little trouble. On Friday, however, during the New York-Pittsburgh game, he strained a second muscle while reaching for one of "Red" Ames wide curves and had to quit the game.

Reports have been circulated that Wagner is suffering from heart trouble, but will never be seen in the dugout again. Club Physician Lang said that this report is absolutely unfounded and that Hans will be seen in his position to-morrow just as good as he ever was.

INDUSTRIAL LEAGUE

Industrial League Standing.

| | Won. | Lost. | P.C. |
|--------------|------|-------|------|
| Yost Co. | 13 | 9 | .591 |
| Crane No. 2 | 9 | 5 | .643 |
| Crane No. 1 | 8 | 6 | .571 |
| Singer | 7 | 7 | .500 |
| A. B. C. Co. | 6 | 9 | .400 |
| U. M. C. Co. | 5 | 9 | .357 |
| Warner Bros. | 4 | 10 | .286 |
| Brass Co. | 4 | 10 | .286 |

Saturday's Results.

Yost, 2; Singer, 1.
A. B. C. Co., 8; No. 2 Crane, 1.
Warners, 7; U. M. C. Co., 5.
Brassies, 8; No. 1 Crane, 6.

Games Next Saturday.

No. 1 Crane vs. A. B. C. Co.
No. 2 Crane vs. Singer.
U. M. C. vs. Yost.
Bridgeport Brass vs. Warner Bros.

The league leaders and the Singers played the best game of the day, the former winning out with a score of 2-1. The victory was due to the pitching of Frank White, the Yost's crack twirler, who let the Singers down with three hits, two of which came in the fourth inning, counting for the losers lone tally. The Yosts on the other hand hit with effective power, but could not bunch the bingles. It appeared that Young Wells worked much better when the men were on the bases in the field some of the most sensational plays were pulled off. Yosts were charged with but one error that being a muffed fly by Johnson in the fifth run. The feature catch of the day was by Johnson in the eighth session, with two down White walked two batters. Howard Dunbar then caught looked like a sure catch. Johnson's head. It looked good to bring in the two men on the bases, but Johnson got under the sphere and cast glow into the hearts of the Singers supporters. The score:

| | R.H.E. |
|---|--------|
| Yost 0 1 1 0 0 0 0—3—3—1 | |
| Singer 0 0 1 0 0 0 0—1—2—3 | |
| Batteries: Whits and Wilson; Wells and Laubscher. | |

The American & British nine kept up their winning streak Saturday by trouncing the Crane No. 2 team rather harshly out on Crane Field. Frank Mulligan started to pitch for the Crane, proving easy for the Gunmakers. He was relieved by Nick Carter, who was just as easy. George Jakel again showed his worth in the box allowing seven scattered hits. The score:

| | R.H.E. |
|---|--------|
| A. & B. 1 1 0 1 0 1 0 2—8—12—3 | |
| Crane No. 2 0 0 0 0 1 0 0 0—1—7—2 | |
| Batteries: Jakel and Jamison; Mulligan, Carter and Lucia. | |

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| U. M. C. 1 0 1 0 0 0 1 2—10—4 | |
| Batteries: McCormick and White; Ennis and Moran. | |

Down at Seaside Park, George Ellsworth's No. 1 Crane team blew up in the fifth inning of their game with the Brassies, and when they had thrown out ballast the East Siders had run up seven runs in the inning which was enough to win the contest, as the Valve makers fell one run short of this total. Barnes, an on the field was very light, while the errors of the losing club were many and costly. The score: Brass Co. 0 0 0 1 7 0 0 0—8—3—3
Crane No. 1 1 0 0 0 5 1 0 0—6—5—8
Batteries: Kellogg and Lannon; Clark and Hurley.

LOCAL "ENDERS" VICTORIOUS

The South Ends at the Flats, yesterday won the rubber game of their series with the North Ends in easy fashion at West End city. The North Ends but was relieved after the first inning by Jagers. The hits of the North Ends were opportunistic, coming when men were on the bases. Carter's play at second base for the winners featured, he accepting eleven chances without an error. "Rocky" Farrell pitched a good game for the South Ends. Now that the South Ends have won the series from the North Ends, one of the contenders for the city championship, they are now in the money for the city championship for 1908, for the title. A three cornered series among the West Ends the Newfield and the South Ends ought to go good.

The West Ends trimmed the Washington Glue Club of New Haven in a 12-2 victory at West End city yesterday 11-2. Ryder, the visiting pitcher was touched up for 15 hits, four of which were by Benham. Amos Johnson was a terror with the willow, annexing a homer and two singles. McNamara held the visitors to four hits, two of which coupled with a base hit in the second inning gave the Glue Club their two runs.

BUNYAN LEADS LOCAL STICKERS

The Orators got into a few games during the week in which the opposing pitchers were mighty stingy, and as a result a number of the percentages took a tumble. "Rube" Pollard has the most successful record. He pitched 11-2 Ryder, the visiting pitcher was touched up for 15 hits, four of which were by Benham. Amos Johnson was a terror with the willow, annexing a homer and two singles. McNamara held the visitors to four hits, two of which coupled with a base hit in the second inning gave the Glue Club their two runs.

| | G. | A.B. | H. | P.C. |
|------------|----|------|----|------|
| Bunyan | 26 | 97 | 31 | .318 |
| Bannon | 82 | 319 | 97 | .304 |
| Ladd | 82 | 325 | 97 | .300 |
| Hilt | 82 | 325 | 98 | .286 |
| Miller | 82 | 326 | 93 | .285 |
| Kane | 7 | 15 | 4 | .267 |
| Pollard | 27 | 72 | 19 | .264 |
| Schmidt | 32 | 114 | 29 | .254 |
| Gibbs | 29 | 84 | 20 | .238 |
| Stehnhauer | 74 | 285 | 59 | .207 |
| Koehler | 71 | 241 | 41 | .168 |
| McKenna | 29 | 138 | 23 | .166 |
| Reilly | 3 | 9 | 1 | .111 |
| Whittemyer | 3 | 3 | 0 | .000 |

STEARNS BOAT UPSET.

THREE OCCUPANTS OUT

A 14 horsepower gasoline engine in a boat designed for an eight horsepower engine caused the craft to lose its water tightness and a near accident in the air, when the engine was started Saturday afternoon. Walter E. Stearns, the owner and designer of the boat, Miss "Mild" Stearns, were in the boat at the time of the accident and were picked out of the water by Oscar Richmond of the Mohawk Yacht club. None the worse the accident except the wetting. The boat Vida V., did not sink but was kept afloat while upside down in the water by the buoyancy of the gasoline tank and an air tight compartment built in her bow. The mishap happened at the foot of East Main street just as Mr. Stearns was about to take her on a trial trip. In less than two hours the boat was in Mr. Stearns' yard at 164 East Main street, where he intends to remodel her, adding 14 inches to her beam he believes that she will be able to carry the 14 horsepower engine. The craft was so light that two men can carry it with ease.